



## STRATHCONA NEWS

## THE STRATHCONA POLICE INVESTIGATION ENDED. Evidence of James Kitchen and Officers Harris and Robinson Given This Forenoon—Report of Judge Scott to Be Made Later.

The trial hearing of the police investigation held at Strathcona took place this morning before Judge Scott. The evidence of James Kitchen, whose absence on previous occasions had caused considerable delay, was present, and his evidence with that of Constable Harris and Constable Robinson was all that was taken. Kitchen positively denied having paid Patterson any money for protection, but admitted that he might have told Harris and Robinson that he did. Both these officers later swore that he told them he had paid the chief money for protection.

The hearing of the other charges of drunkenness, abuse, etc., was not now ahead with, owing to a misunderstanding between Col. Edwards, the counsel for Harris, and the judge. Judge Scott thought Col. Edwards had confused all his evidence, and so noted it, while the latter said he had only reference to the charge on which evidence had been taken.

Receiving protection money from a house of ill-fame. The judge ruled that the entire case was now closed.

Judge Scott will make a report to the Council probably next Tuesday evening, embodying his findings.

James Kitchen's trial was the first witness called. Before giving his evidence he asked the jury to decide that he would give nothing to be taken against him in any future proceedings.

James Kitchen (born and examined by Col. Edwards) is living in Strathcona about the month of July, 1925. I have known him since who keeps a house of ill-fame about that time. I did not receive any money from him about that time.

I received some money from her as follows: May 9, \$20; June 7, \$20; July 4, \$40; I kept the money. She owed me \$200 because she owed about the beginning of March, 1926. I did not receive \$20 from her until fairly time, 1927. All I know of her evidence given at this investigation is what I saw in the press.

I may have made several statements about this matter. I may have said to James Robinson, police constable, that I had paid to the chief of police \$25. I may have received money from any woman to pay chief Patterson. If I made this statement to James Robinson, I did so when under a state of intoxication or in a passion.

Q—Did you make a statement to Frank Harris that he paid Patterson protection money?

A—I don't think I did, but I might have done so. I could not under oath say whether I did or not.

Q—Why did you say the protection of the court before giving evidence?

A—I was advised to do so. I know nothing about it. I was asked to do so.

Q—Do you know you are liable for paying if you make a statement?

A—I don't know I am.

Q—Did you make a statement to Frank Harris that he paid Patterson money?

A—I did not.

Continuing, he said he would not under oath call that he told Harris that he paid Patterson money. He admitted stating in a press that he had given Patterson \$25.

Q—Did you on a previous occasion during last winter, advise that Frank Harris that you had paid the chief of Police protection money for Patterson's money?

A—I don't remember. I was under a state of intoxication almost all last winter.

Continuing, I said I may have received money from Florence Miller for protection, but however, I could not say both Robinson and Harris that I did. The only interest I had in Florence Miller's house was in the year 1926. I may have said anything about the chief as I was on bad terms with him last winter.

Q—When you interested in allowing her house to be carried out undisturbed?

A—I had no interest in the house.

Q—Did you tell Frank Harris that you would rather than \$500 not being turned up to this?

A—I may have told him that.

Q—Why did you tell him that?

A—I did not want to be mixed up in any such cases. I have relations in the country and I did not want the publicity in this case.

## POLICE OFFICERS' EVIDENCE.

Col. Edwards then called the evidence of Officers Harris and Robinson. Judge Scott asked them if they had reasonable ground for making such charges against the chief of police. Judge Scott concurred and Mr. Lavell pointed out that any conversation between the officers and Kitchen was no evidence against the chief.

Frank Robinson (sworn) I told Kitchen when I worked with him at the Strathcona Hotel for the protection of the house in which he was interested. He was sober at the time. I was not the first investigation when he first made the statement of having paid the chief money for protection.

To Mr. Lavell—I at the first investigation I said I had charged but I might or might not be able to prove them. I did say that I was not desirous of preferring charges against the chief.

James Robinson (sworn)—I am a constable of Strathcona. I had a conversation with James Kitchen regarding a house kept by Florence Miller. To the best of my knowledge he was sober at the time. It was to the effect that he was paying Patterson

husk money for protection. There was no mention of \$100. I think it was \$10. I think this was about the last week of December.

Henry Patterson was then called by Mr. Lavell and, being sworn, said he has been chief of police for about six years. I knew Florence Miller for many years, but never saw Edna Miller till I saw her in court. On the night of the 10th of March, 1927, Mr. Scott and I went out to look at this house. It was in the limits of Strathcona. The new and old houses were quite a time afterwards. I saw her had any conversation with James Kitchen. I never received money from Kitchen or either of these women or anyone else as protection money.

I have known Kitchen slightly for over a year. Apart from the \$5 mentioned at a previous investigation I never received any money from Kitchen.

To Col. Edwards—I did get a sum of \$5 from Kitchen. I gave warning to the Strathcona police of the Strathcona House to stop gambling, and he said he must tell "Jim" (Patterson) referring to Kitchen. I paid him the \$5 without any cause for this. There was no case why he should pay \$5 except as a present at Christmas. Other people made me present at Christmas. I never received money from any other gamblers save Jim.

To Mr. Lavell—I never saw Edna Miller. The house of Florence Miller was within the city limits from March, 1927. It was carried out about the spring of this last August. There was a man, James Miller, who was coming from May Mills, directed us to clear out the house. I don't remember of his asking me again to raid it later in the summer. I did not see him again. I did not see any of the women that occurred in the house of ill-fame.

The Counsel Speaks.

Col. Edwards then spoke briefly on the charges against the chief of police. In the previous investigation had not been mentioned on the streets. Later he was asked to put in the charges to the police committee. The whole matter had become public property by virtue of the fact that it had been mentioned in making these charges, had done so by instructions of the police committee, and as a result of information given by Kitchen and others.

Mr. Edwards then stated that the truth of what they had previously told, and the chief had then given an emphatic denial it would be for the judge to decide which was telling the truth. However, Kitchen has repudiated what he told Harris and Robinson. Marjory admitted he received money from the woman who kept it for his own use. He could not state that he had paid Patterson money was guilty of the charges, but he would ask him to find that Officer Harris had paid Patterson money.

Mr. Lavell said that Officer Harris had been asked by the police committee to make the charges only after Kitchen, according to his own evidence, had repudiated what he had said and would say some hard things against the chief. The fact that Marjory had repudiated the money given for his own use was good evidence against the chief.

Col. Edwards said that the other charges were minor ones, with the exception of the one of being drunk on the street. On this charge one of the witnesses was in camp at the time, and the other was out in the country and had telephoned that he was unable to get back to the city in time for the enquiry.

The counsel said that he thought he had reasonable grounds for assuming that the counsel had concluded the matter.

After some further discussion, the judge said that he was satisfied with the evidence of the chief and the enquiry adjourned. Judge Scott will make his report later.

WETASKIWIN GAME CALLED.

A large number of Strathcona people went to Wetaskiwin last night to see the league ball game between the Wetaskiwin and Strathcona teams.

The latter was considerably strengthened by several of their players that were unable to get down to Centre Street last night. Only two men were played, however, when a down-pour of rain stopped the game.

At the end of the second inning the score was 3 to 0 in favor of Strathcona.

LOCALS.

In St. Anthony's church at 6 a.m. this morning the marriage took place between Mr. J. Dugan, formerly of Dugan, and Miss Blanche Scoville, of Grimsby. The ceremony was performed by Father McLeod.

Grimsby was supported by J. Walsh, G. Gilliland, while Mr. McLeod assisted the bride. After the ceremony the party partied at a wedding breakfast at the Strathcona hotel, and then left on a trip for Banff.

The Canadian Order of Foresters will hold their monthly meeting in the Orange hall on Friday evening.

James Edger and Joe Wood, of the East End bakery, have dissolved partnership and the latter will conduct the business alone.

Fred Ritchie has returned from Portland, Cal., where he spent the past eight months.

A. B. Burger is in receipt of a letter from his brother, C. B. Burger, of the city of this city, but at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. Mr. Burger has purchased a couple of small steamships and is operating a general supply business at landing points around Lake Coeur d'Alene and says he is doing well.

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## CITY OF STRATHCONA WILL SELL THEIR DEBENTURES

The Dominion Securities Agree to Take Up a Large Batch at 97 and the Municipal Bank Offer to Buy Others.

A gratifying announcement was made last night at the Strathcona City Council meeting, when the securities committee stated that the Dominion Securities Company had practically agreed to purchase a large batch of the city's debentures at the rate of 97, paying 93, at next interest.

The news came in the form of a telegram from the Dominion Securities Company as follows: "Subject to legality, we will purchase all Strathcona city debentures now held under option at ninety-seven and interest. Kindly confirm sale by telegram.—Dominion Securities."

The debentures held by them under option comprised all those issued at the election three years ago and all about \$100,000.

Following on this was an offer of the Imperial Bank to purchase at 96 six per cent. par value \$70,000 hospital debentures at \$62,000 market value, and \$17,000 water and sewer debentures now held by the Imperial Bank at security for loans.

The finance committee were given time to act in these matters.

All of the debentures were present at the meeting. The chair was occupied by the Mayor.

Communications.

The following communications were read: Frank Conley and others, asking for a four-foot plank sidewalk on the south side of Third avenue north from the northeast corner to the northwest corner of block 64. This was referred to the committee.

From F. A. Creighton, city engineer at Prince Albert, asking for information as to the water supply by the city to the C.P.R. The city engineer instructed the committee.

From R. P. Morrison, acting manager of the Canadian National bank, asking for a note for \$50,000 at the bank, which he desired paid.

Mr. Morrison was instructed to arrange settlement.

W. D. Duggan re account of St. Mary's Lutheran Church, which they wished paid by Wednesday, otherwise they would leave the church to the city.

The finance committee were instructed to pay the money.

A letter from R. Parvix re purchase of the ground on which the Isolation Hospital stands, was referred to the city solicitor.

Charles Gilliland and Andrew Macaulay were applying for positions on the police force. The letters were referred to the police board.

George Gilliland, asking that the road to the insurance ground be paved in better condition. The public works committee were given charge of this.

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## LIQUOR BARRED ON G.T.P. CONSTRUCTION

Provincial Government Will Not Issue Licenses While Railway is Being Built—Prince Rupert to Be Dry—Many Applications Have Been Received But Will Be Refused.

Victoria, June 9.—The provincial government has decided to issue no liquor licenses to construction camps along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, many applications for the privilege of selling liquor have been received, but will be refused.

This is a policy which the government intends to continue as long as unneeded continues attendance on construction work prevail.

At the beginning of the year the attorney general's department took over the matter of granting liquor licenses outside the municipality and placed it in charge of the superintendent of provincial lands, who since that time not a single license of the kind indicated has been issued. In fact, it is understood that no liquor license in a construction camp is to be issued until the railway is built before the present regime came into force.

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## THE ELECTIONS IN ONTARIO AND QUEBEC

Viewed from this distance the Provincial elections in Ontario and Quebec evoke no great real interest, not even to the citizens of this Province who emigrated here from those Provinces. The West is such a huge place, and people's eyes are so far away from the future that they have had a quasi-interest in the past. To the few who have kept up their interest in Eastern Provincial politics, the results of yesterday will come with little surprise though it was hardly expected that Mr. Whitney could increase his numerical majority of 195. It cannot be said that any vital issues divided the parties in Ontario. The significant feature of the campaign was the official public light of the leader of the Opposition, Hon. A. G. MacKay, but it was a fight of one Richard against six Richmonds with the inevitable result of the public's verdict that the Liberal party in Ontario have not recovered from the defeat of four years ago, and have failed in devising any suitable strategy for opposition in the Legislature. They are in the midst of a period of reconstruction and unpreparedness.

It is impossible to say whether Mr. MacKay, during his short term of leadership, has shown widespread fighting qualities, astuteness and tact in the handling of the campaign, or whether he is too prone to incite enthusiasm and when the opportunity comes to frame constructive legislation as well as deliver confident and effective criticism of the opposition during the last Legislature were not strong enough numerically to produce a sufficient number of outstanding men whom the public would trust in the administration of the several departments of the public service. With the withdrawal of Hon. G. G. MacKay, the only two members of first rank left on the Opposition benches were Hon. A. G. MacKay and Hon. Richard Harewood. Mr. Harewood, it may be said, has been in great interest in politics after the passing of his former colleagues from the theatre of parliament. He had a long and honorable career in the first place, and was awaiting an honorable and timely opportunity to retire.

The result of yesterday by no means however, completely reflects the strength of Liberals and Conservatives, if those badges of political distinction can be longer applied to the respective parties in the Province of Ontario. There is nothing in the history of Ontario that makes it Tory though John Sandfield Macdonald was its first Premier. Ontario supported Baldwin and Hicks in the early days because they were the protagonists of reform, and renewed its allegiance to Oliver Mowat, who was a strong and efficient champion in the small of every civilizational community. The Ontario electorate has been steady in its progress and reform. When the Liberal party lost the political distinction and presence of Oliver Mowat, its form degenerated and gave place to a machine, to maneuver for party advantage until the leaders lost the confidence of the electorate, and were swept from power.

Mr. Whitney was established in office with the mandate to carry on, reform, and was given a majority large enough to place him beyond the sniping of internal party criticism of four opposition. His record of four years has been characterized by substantial inconsistency. When he came to power he reversed the Conservative policy in Opposition then tried a hundred times from his place in the House, and raised from a humiliated position in the House to a position of leadership. He denounced the public duties and the corruption of the House. He denounced the public duties and the corruption of the House. He denounced the public duties and the corruption of the House.

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The Opposition's view of suicide is to talk themselves to death. That is the doctrine of the Eastern camp.

A Kansas farmer died from blood poisoning after being pecked by a hen. What a gruesome portrait he furnished of himself.

President Roosevelt left off his horse the other day, but he didn't care. His only concern is that his friend Taft won't fall off the Presidential Christmas tree.

A Prince bartender died after drinking whisky and eating a banana, because that combination of diet generated an organic poison. Moral: Leave bananas eating to the scientists.

The story is told of a farmer's wife in Manitoba who caught sixty-six black larks in two hours, while her husband did the housework. We believe that the woman caught the birds, but it is hard to believe the man did the housework in two hours.

There are politicians and newspaper editors who believe the government is spending nearly a hundred millions a year in vain since Canada has learned that Canada is a hundred million dollar country. It should be remembered that a newspaper, for any reason, is not a year old, does not represent by any means the actual drain on the nation's income to be met by the proceeds of taxation. It is largely a book-keeping tale.

## ARMED THUG KILLS POLICEMAN

'Police Officer Shot As He Bent Over To Pick Up His Man'

San Francisco, June 16.—Policeman William H. Heine was shot and killed at an early hour yesterday by Thomas O. Young, formerly of Galt, who was recently employed as a strike breaker during the strike of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America in this city. The murderer was captured, together with his brother, James Young, after a fight in which several policemen took part.

The two Youngs became involved in an altercation in the O. K. saloon in the "Barbary Coast" district. A fight started and Officer Heine stepped in to investigate. The two brothers ran down Keeling street, and in order to halt them Heine fired his revolver. The bullet struck Young in the chest, which was set on fire by the powder. Heine staggered to the pavement and lay for a few moments. At the city prison the murderer made the last of his statements. His testimony of five or six men who said they saw him fire the fatal shot.

Asking the Opposition and the majority in the House have presumed to speak for the whole country, and have obstructed the supplies necessary to the ordinary operations of executive government. This time again they have chosen wrongly. The point of dispute between the Opposition and the Government is not a question of which the country can be embroiled into fury or flame. It is not broad enough. It concerns only a part of the Dominion. The issue involved is not so supreme or fundamental; and being so, the Opposition have laid themselves open to the charge that they are willing to stoke at what they call a fire of corruption and corruption if only they may secure a ranch in the system that they believe gives them a party advantage. For this they have raised the suspicion in the country that they are simply puppets under the control of the Provincial ministers of Manitoba. They apparently are willing to lower the dignity of the Federal House and dance to the tune of the Roblin-Kegonast.

No candidate of responsible position is at stake nor is the ark of democracy to be lost in the deluge. Surely is a consistent with the dignity and sovereignty of Parliament that it has control over the franchise that creates it.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

The road to Heaven may yet be paved with aeroplanes.

Premiere Whitney and Gouin held their quarrelsome press conference.

Though the Manitoba was built on the Tyne she is no tiny affair.

It is easier to be good than great because there is less competition.

Never imagine you can dodge an argument with a woman by agreeing with her.

Why talk of the Southern Alberta country being dry when the inhabitants are climbing trees to keep their feet dry.

A Chicago writer recently felt like a \$50,000, which proves the adage that everything comes to him who waits.

## GLORIOUS FUTURE OF OUR WHEAT FIELDS

Ingenious Argument Being Put Forward by British Train Reformers as Grounds for Imposing Duty on Corn—Penny Party Falsely Being Told in London.

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# CITY COUNCIL MEETING

**Auditor Glythe Submits Report of Finances for 1927—Two of the Public Service Departments Show Handsome Surpluses—City Expended Nearly a Million and a Half Last Year—Council Decides on Change of Method of Laying Sewer and Water Mains.**

The municipal operation of public utilities in Edmonton last year ended with a profit, which is conclusively shown by Auditor Glythe's statement presented to the council at the regular meeting Tuesday night, at which all the alterations and amendments to the budget were made. Mayor McEwen presiding, by Auditor Glythe's statement the amount of the Electric Light and Power Department is \$102,025.18, and that of the Waterworks Department is \$103,972.18. The Telephone Department in 1927 required a deficit of \$3,513.15, which is due to the unusual condition of things consequent to the election to change the system. The net credit balance of the city, at the end of the 1927 financial year, was \$34,430.53. The balance forward in 1927 totalled \$228,532.30, as against \$180,360.20 in 1926, which is almost double. The total disbursements during 1927 reached the enormous amount of \$1,474,946.10.

"A very satisfactory statement," was Mr. Weyhe's comment when the statement was being read. The report, which was as follows, was laid on the table for final consideration.

**The Auditor's Report.**  
"I have completed the audit of the vouchers and books of account of the City of Edmonton, for the financial year ending 30th November, 1927. I have attached hereto you will find statement of the results of my audit."

**Receipts and disbursements.**  
Revenue account.  
Assets and liabilities.  
General debt debentures issued.  
Special debt debentures issued.  
General debentures.  
Which are duly certified to.

The balance forward at the credit of the revenue account amounts to \$242,919.94, which was increased by brought forward from 1926, leaving a net credit balance of \$34,430.53 at the end of the year 1927. There was a large increase in the expenditures of some of the departments, while in others the expenditures were reduced. In the police department, \$252,525.18, in the public works department, \$121,527.18, in the waterworks department, \$103,972.18, and in the city engineer's department, \$102,025.18, and these increases only cover the period of eleven months, on account of the financial year ending 30th November as against twelve months in the previous financial year, and therefore account for the increased cost of conducting these departments during the year.

The amount of the last day of the fiscal year on the payment of taxes hereof for the 12th December, a large amount of \$12,126.35, was outstanding on taxes as at 30th November.

The total amount of taxes levied for 1927 was \$228,532.30, as against \$180,360.20 for the year 1926, being an increase of \$148,172.10 for the past year.

During the past year, the financial affairs of the city have passed through, probably the severest strain that they have yet undergone. The large contracts for the city have been entered into by the council, but the payment of interest on the sinking funds, have not been paid, and the sinking funds on their due dates, but have been paid in the past year, and in the sinking fund year, in order to maintain the sinking funds on the basis of 10 per cent, it is necessary that the sinking funds be promptly paid in, and again re-invested if the sinking funds are to be kept at their proper level.

"Your public works committee has already reported to you with reference to the facts of the estimates paid by W. J. Graham for the water mains, and the authority of the City Engineer, and it is not necessary to me to repeat again the facts of the case, as in this subject are similar to the case of the committee."

The operation of the electric light and power system has produced a surplus for the past year of \$103,972.18, which is a surplus of \$57,025.18, standing to the credit of the operation of the system.

The operation of the Telephone Department for the past year has resulted in a deficit of \$3,513.15, which has been brought forward from 1926, leaving a net deficit of \$3,513.15.

The operation of the water system has resulted in a surplus for the past year of \$102,025.18, which is a surplus of \$57,025.18, standing to the credit of the operation of the system.

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**An Account for \$20.**  
An account presented by E. W. Richardson for \$20 for rubber tires for City Engineer Keely's car, was not approved by the council, and the City Engineer and commissioners will pay these tires from the City account.

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## U. S. LUMBER KING LOOKING TO CANADA

Weyerhaeuser and Party Are Inspecting Various Proportions in Crown's West District—His Discourse, Addressing Exhibition of American Timber Areas.

Cranebrook, June 9.—Mr. Frederick Weyerhaeuser, of St. Paul, Minn., the king of the lumber world, will spend the first fortnight examining timber limits and pulling propositions along the line of the Crown's New Pass Road. He is accompanied by wealthy business associates, including Messrs. O. H. Ingram, Ken Clais, Wm. J. G. Thorpe, Hudson J. McNeil, Ottumwa, Iowa; J. S. Weyerhaeuser, St. Paul, and E. H. Hayes, Ken Clais, Wm. J. G. Thorpe.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser's holdings of standing timber are far in excess of those of any other man or any other corporation, and the value of these holdings is said to be increasing so rapidly that of any known public holding. He has been for many years the largest landowner in the Northwest, especially in the States of Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

"It is not true that the timber areas of Wisconsin and Minnesota have been entirely exhausted, during the operations of the past thirty years," he said.

"The denotation has not been nearly as complete as the newspapers have sometimes stated, and was Mr. Weyerhaeuser's reply. "I should say that the timber is still very abundant in certain of the mills in operation for nearly fifty years to come. In the south, the supplies are still very large, and in the Northwest equally so."

Being asked when in his judgment the lumber situation in the United States would become acute, and when the demand would greatly exceed the supply from the United States, Mr. Weyerhaeuser smiled and said that the supply of lumber in the United States would be consumed in five years to consume the timber supply of the United States.

Speaking of the timber lands of British Columbia, he said that there was a considerable amount of valuable timber, both in the interior and on the coast, and that the government was doing well to maintain it.

Friends asked of Mr. Weyerhaeuser as a man of industry, "If he had a son in the United States, where would he send him to study? He said he would send him to a public school, and to a public school in the town of the parents of a son of his. His business interests are so widely extended that he is said to have a thousand partners, none of whom are acquainted with the full extent of his operations."

As an illustration of the rapidity with which the value of the holding in lumber of Mr. Weyerhaeuser increases, it may be stated that ten years ago a certain limit in the United States was bought for \$75,000, and was sold for \$750,000. It was bought for \$125,000 five years ago, and sold last year for \$500,000.

The entire holdings of Mr. Weyerhaeuser in the United States are estimated at 30,000 square miles, which is six times the area of the State of New Jersey, the best timber area in the United States being included in the reservations.

Mr. Weyerhaeuser came originally to the United States from Southern Germany, in 1854. He lived for a number of years in the United States, to Rock Island, Ill., where he was employed as an ordinary workman in a sawmill. Eventually he bought this mill in Illinois and finally removed to Wisconsin, where a large portion of his life was spent. Years ago he became the timber agent of the Northern Pacific and has been closely associated with James J. Hill and other prominent railway and financial men of the United States. His ideas of the vast value of timber reservations were gained prior to his departure from Germany, where the preservation of forests long ago was a thing of the past.

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Columbia Hotel Barber Shop, Jasper Ave. E.  
Magnet Barber Shop, Jasper Ave. E.  
Kaiser Barber Shop, Jasper Ave. E.  
Sensate Barber Shop, Jasper Ave. E.  
Palace Hotel Barber Shop, Jasper Ave. W.  
Morgan & Coughlin Barber Shop, Jasper Avenue West.  
View & Bowler Barber Shop, First Street North.  
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# SPORTING NEWS

## BASEBALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.		
Chicago	20	15
Cincinnati	20	17
Pittsburgh	20	17
New York	20	17
Boston	20	17
Philadelphia	20	17
St. Louis	20	17
St. Paul	20	17
Brooklyn	20	17

Yesterday's Games.		
At Brooklyn	10	10
At Boston	10	10
At Cincinnati	10	10
At Philadelphia	10	10
At St. Louis	10	10
At St. Paul	10	10
At New York	10	10
At Pittsburgh	10	10

AMERICAN LEAGUE.		
New York	20	15
St. Louis	20	17
Philadelphia	20	17
Cleveland	20	17
Detroit	20	17
Boston	20	17
Washington	20	17

Yesterday's Games.		
At Chicago	10	10
At Detroit	10	10
At St. Louis	10	10
At St. Paul	10	10
At Cleveland	10	10
At Boston	10	10
At Washington	10	10

EASTERN LEAGUE.		
Buffalo	20	15
Montreal	20	17
Baltimore	20	17
Newark	20	17
Providence	20	17
Toronto	20	17
Jessy City	20	17

Yesterday's Games.		
At Toronto	10	10
At Montreal	10	10
At Buffalo	10	10
At Newark	10	10
At Providence	10	10
At Toronto	10	10
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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.		
At Columbus	10	10
At Toledo	10	10
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MAYLE LEAF'S DEFEAT ROSS BROS.		
At Toronto	10	10
At Toronto	10	10
At Toronto	10	10
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MISCELLANEOUS.		
At Toronto	10	10
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NO TEAM FROM NELSON.		
At Toronto	10	10
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The Y.M.C.A. boys' department.		
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## FITZGERALD OFF IN JUNE 12.

Dr. Whitaker is in receipt of a letter from Fitz Fitzgerald, Toronto, stating that the Olympic committee have given him a place on the Canadian track team, and that he will leave for the old country on June 12. Fitzgerald will race in the Olympic games in London under the colors of the Edmonton Liberal club.

## TWO ALBERTA MEN FOR OLYMPIC.

Ottawa, June 8.—The track team to represent Canada at the Olympic games was finally chosen at a meeting of the Olympic committee this afternoon. Nineteen athletes will start, eleven from Toronto, three from Montreal and one each from Peterborough, Hamilton, Brantford, New Glasgow and Edmonton. They are: H. P. Lawson, W. B. Gaudin, W. B. Gaudin, G. Gaudin, E. Archibald, Lou Schott, Jack Tait, G. Dierker, C. Bricker, A. Kelly and O. Kelly, all of Toronto; F. L. Lakewood, H. Baido and K. Savage, Edmonton; W. H. Woods, Brantford; W. P. Simpson, Peterborough; J. Fitzgerald, Hamilton; R. Kerr, Hamilton; E. Macdonald, New Glasgow.

The committee gave Longhough, Cole, Parks and A. Thurn (Calgary) permission to go at their own expense.

## THE TURF.

### CALGARY RACE MEET.

Calgary, June 8.—There were good races at the Victoria park yesterday afternoon. Perhaps the very best races ever held there were run. The weather was well suited.

The morning races were perhaps the best, for the reason that on account of lack of work, because of the wet weather, the horses were very nervous and unusually the favorite, Del McKinney, and also because of the very evident pointing of the Indian in the other trotting race.

The trotting race has not been popular in this city and this will put it back still further. However was equaled in the morning.

In the conduct of the Indian should have received much greater punishment than was meted out yesterday afternoon.

The results in the various events were as follows:

### The 2:17 Trotting Race.

General H.	2	2
Del H.	1	1
Del McKinney	2	2
Del McKinney	2	2
Del McKinney	2	2
Del McKinney	2	2
Del McKinney	2	2
Del McKinney	2	2

Time: 2:24 1/2, 2:30, 2:36.

2:55 Pace and 2:56 Trot.

Don M. 1 2 3

The Indian 1 2 3

Del McKinney 1 2 3

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the Matter of Benjamin T. Murray, of London, General Merchant, an insolvent.

Notice is hereby given that the insolvent has made an assignment of his estate and effects to me under "The Trustee Act," and a meeting of the creditors of the insolvent is hereby called to be held at the office of Messrs. B. & M. D. Murray, 21 North Bond Street, the city of Edmonton, on Tuesday, the 10th day of June, 1908, at the hour of two o'clock, in the afternoon for the purpose of inspecting the estate and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

And notice is hereby given that after the said 10th day of June, 1908, I will proceed to distribute the estate of the insolvent under this said Act, having regard only to the claims of which I shall have notice at the time of such distribution.

LOUIS MAHORE.

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